



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:  
Samuel Tocalino

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For: Method and Apparatus to Isolate Fluids During  
Gravel Pack Operations

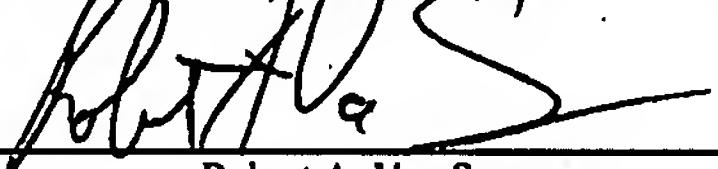
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**REPLY AND AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Official Action mailed February 14, 2007, Applicant submits the following:

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.